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COUNTRY	East Germany	25X1	REPORT NO.	25X1
TOPIC	Soviet Troop Trains			
EVALUATION	25X1	PLACE OBTAINED	25X1	633019
DATE OF CONTENT	15 to 22 March 1954			
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REFERENCES				
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REMARKS				

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CB - converted boxcar
 B - boxcar
 F - flatcar
 RBym - heavy-duty flatcar

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1. Troop trains passing through the Prenzlau railroad station toward Angermuende on 15 March 1954 included: a train of 10 boxcars with soldiers and an undetermined number of flatcars with 12 half-track vehicles and 40 trucks; and another train of 12 boxcars with soldiers and an undetermined number of flatcars with 4 x 37-mm AA guns and 28 trucks.¹

2. On 18 March, a troop train without a locomotive was standing at the Prenzlau railroad station. The train was loaded with 12 JS-1 tanks and 30 trucks.²

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3. troop trains 20, 21 and 23
 March:

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Date in March	Combination of Troop Trains	From	To
25X1 20	7 CB, 52 F	Wittstock	Magdeburg- Brueckfeld
	6 CB, 18 F 4 RBym	Pritzwalk	"
	11 CB, 9 B, 40 F	Weimar	Kroepelin
	undetermined	Naumburg	Neubukow

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Date in March	Combination of Troop Trains	From	To	
21	8 C/B, 2 B, 35 F	Pritzwalk	Magdeburg- Brueckfeld	
	10 C/B, 2 B, 46 F	"	"	
	4 C/B, 16 F	Wittstock	Magdeburg railroad district	
	10 C/B, 2 B, 42 F	Pritzwalk	Magdeburg- Brueckfeld	
	14 C/B, 1 B, 45 F	Kyritz	Altengrabow	
	9 C/B, 1 B, 40 F	"	"	
	9 C/B, 1 B, 41 F	"	"	
	9 C/B, 1 B, 48 F	"	"	
	10 C/B, 2 B, 33 F	"	Brandenburg	
	10 C/B, 1 B, 39 F	Wittstock	Wismar	
10 C/B, 2 B, 38 F	"	"		
7 C/B, 7 B, 32 F	Magdeburg- Brueckfeld	Neubukow		
8 C/B, 3 B, 32 F	Altengrabow	Kroepelin		
15 C/B, 1 B, 43 F	Dranse	Wismar		
12 C/B, 34 F	"	"		
12 C/B, 38 F	"	"		
22	10 C/B, 3 B, 37 F	Wittstock	Schwerin	
	13 C/B, 5 B, 38 F	"	"	
	10 C/B, 4 B, 46 F	"	"	

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25X1 1. [] Comment. Other information indicated that, on 15 March 1954, four troop trains of the 25th Tank Div were dispatched from Prenzlau to the Lieberose area where field exercises were held by the 7th Gds Mech Div.

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25X1 2. [] Comment. [] the troop train went to Haldensleben.

25X1 3. [] Comment. The dispatching stations indicate that units transferred to Wustrow on and after 20 March 1954 included: contingents of the 13th AAA Div from Weimer on 1 train; contingents of the 498th AAA Regt (US) of the XXVIII Gds Mtz Rifle Corps from Neumburg on 2 trains; and probably contingents of the 3d Gds AAA Div from Magdeburg-Brueckfeld and Altengrabow on 2 trains.

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4. The troop trains were previously reported by another source. []
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